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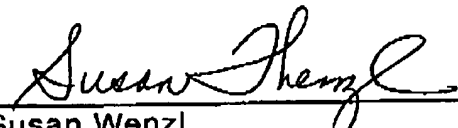
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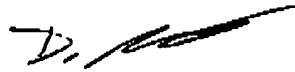
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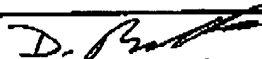
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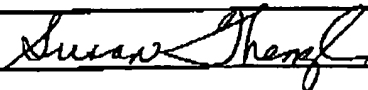
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AMENDMENTS

Responsive to the Final Office Action dated November 15, 2006 in this Reissue application, Applicants amend and remark as follows. Unless otherwise indicated, deletions are [bracketed], additions are underlined to indicate changes relative to the patent.